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TO

: Director, Office of Patent Publication

FROM

: Office of Petitions

SUBJECT

: Withdrawal from Issue of Application No. 10/814,852

Applicant(s)

: Maurizio Fava, et al.

Application No. : 10/814,852

Filed

: March 31, 2004

The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 7,599,845 and an issue date of October 6, 2009.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant. Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of October 6, 2009:

"All reference to Patent No. 7,599,845 to Maurizio et al. of Massachusetts for SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REDUCING THE PLACEBO EFFECT IN CONTROLLED CLINICAL TRIALS appearing in the Official Gazette of October 6, 2009 should be deleted since no patent was granted."

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